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Altman et al. Applicant(s): Group Art Unit: 1752 Serial No.: 10/579,248 Examiner: Unassigned Filing Da te: May 12, 2006 Intl Filing Date: 12 November 2004 Docket No.: 235.00550101 Title: BIOTIN-FACILITATED TRANSPORT IN GRAM NEGATIVE BACTERIA Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate): Small entity status is entitled to be asserted in the above-identified application. An itemized return postcard. A Petition for Extension of Time for _ month(s). Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-4895 in the amount of \$_ for the required fee. An Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs), 1449 forms (3 pgs); and copies of 27 documents cited on the 1449 forms. An Appeal Brief. Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-4895 in the amount of \$_, for the required Appeal Brief filing fee. A check in the amount of \$__, representing ___. Other: Amendment ___ No Additional fee is required. ___ The fee has been calculated as shown: Fee Calculation for Claims Pending After Amendment Pending Claims Claims Paid for Number of Additional Fees Cost per after Earlier (2) Additional Additional Required Amendment (1) Claims (1-2) Claim **Total Claims** x \$25 =Independent x \$100 =Claims One or More New Multiple Dependent Claims Presented? If Yes, Add \$180 Here → Total Additional Claim Fees Required CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper(s), as described hereinabove, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this $10^{\sqrt{5}}$ day of $\sqrt{2007}$. MUETING, RAASCH & GEBHARDT, P.A. Customer Number: 26813 Victoria A. Sandberg

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